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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
RM579b

In Re Application Of: **Pulliam, Bryan J.**  
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Serial No. 09/766,222	Filing Date 01/19/2001	Examiner Cottingham, John R.	Group Art Unit 3679
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Invention: **Portable Fence System and Components Therefor**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 24, 2002 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: December 24, 2002    until: February 24, 2003  
Date

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A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

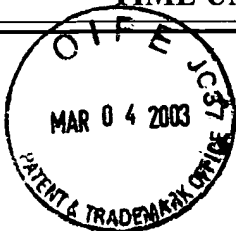
The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	121 -	45 =	76	x \$9.00	\$684.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	12 -	4 =	9	x \$42.00	\$378.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$1,062.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$205.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,267.00	

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A ~~check~~ <sup>credit card payment form authorizing</sup> the amount of \$1,267.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$1,267.00.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0617  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0617 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Feb. 24, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as  
first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the  
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